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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Applicants Leonard D. Kohn, *et al.* : Paper No: 79661/502168

Serial No. 09/151,612 : Group Art Unit: 1633

Filed: September 11, 1998 : Examiner: Q. Nguyen

For: IMMUNE ACTIVATION BY DOUBLE-STRANDED
POLYNUCLEOTIDES**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT****Box Amendment Fee**The Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 12, 2001. In the prosecution of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows, and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS**IN THE CLAIMS:***Please amend the following claims as indicated:*E 18b
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33. (once amended) The method of claim 26 wherein the double-stranded polynucleotide comes from the mammalian cell's nucleus or mitochondria.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by this current amendment. This page is located at the end of this response and is captioned "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

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